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TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR INCINERATION AND VITRIFICATION OF WASTE, IN PARTICULAR RADIOACTIVE WASTE

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